

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Koji SHIGEMURA et al.

Application No. 10/718,640

Group Art Unit: 2879

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Examiner: Natalie K. Walford

For: EVAPORATION MASK, METHOD OF FABRICATING ORGANIC
ELECTROLUMINESCENT DEVICE USING THE SAME, AND ORGANIC
ELECTROLUMINESCENT DEVICE

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 21, 2007, and having a period for response set to expire on May 21, 2007.

The following remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.

A complete version of Mizuguchi et al. (Mizuguchi) (JP 10-8239) relied on by the Examiner is attached following page 21 of this paper and is discussed below in the Remarks.